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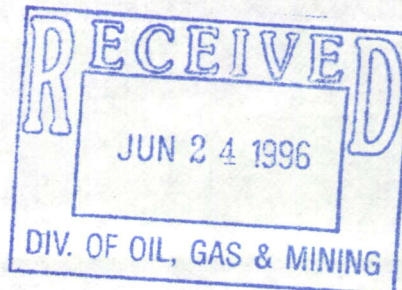
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Re: Release for Energy Fuels Nuclear, Inc. of the remainder of its reclamation bond covering the Wood Mine and the Patti Ann Mine, San Juan County, Utah.

Dear Mr. Hedberg:

On June 12, 1996, Sal Venticinque, accompanied by Tony Gallegos of your staff, made a close-out field check of revegetation success at each of the above-referenced mines.

The Wood Mine is located in T31S, R25E (SLM), Section 1: SE1/4 NE1/4, NE1/2 SE1/4; the Patti Ann Mine is located in T29S, R24E (SLM), Section 33: W1/2 SE1/4 SE1/4, E1/2 SW1/4 SE1/4. Each mine had previously been inspected by BLM and UDOGM; surface reclamation was found satisfactory.

As a result of the close-out field inspection, Mr. Venticinque reported that revegetation at each mine has been completed satisfactorily, with the exception of the Wood Mine access road. This road remains unreclaimed because San Juan County has asked that this road remain open. Therefore, BLM will not hold Energy Fuels responsible for its reclamation.

Based on the efforts of Energy Fuels Nuclear, Inc. at the Wood Mine and the Patti Ann Mine, we would recommend release by UDOGM of the remainder of the reclamation bond for each mine. Please contact Mr. Venticinque at (801) 259-2141 should you have questions.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in dark ink, appearing to read "B. Venticinque", written over a horizontal line.

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